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PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT



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USSR

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Kharkov Aviation Institute

COUNTRY

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The Kharkov Aviation Institute, USSR, was identified on photography for the first time in [REDACTED] the institute is located in the northern section of Kharkov between Kharkov Airfield North and Kharkov/Alekseyevka Airfield. The institute is composed of 5 distinct areas.

Area 1 appears to be an aircraft structures laboratory. It contains 11 buildings, and a new facility is apparently being constructed on the north side of this area.

Area 2 has been constructed since [REDACTED] It contains laboratory/engineering buildings, housing units, and support buildings. Construction is under way for additional facilities.

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Area 3 contains a fabrication building, several workshops, administration/engineering buildings, and miscellaneous support structures. Construction activity is also visible in this area.

Area 4 contains a probable hypersonic wind tunnel under construction, 3 large multistory buildings, a fabrication building, and several support structures. A building is under construction adjacent to the fabrication building. The facility identified as a probable hypersonic wind tunnel is comparable to similar structures at the Dnepropetrovsk Missile Development and Production Center, USSR, and at Aircraft Engine Plant No 478, Zaporozhye, USSR.

Area 5 contains administration and laboratory/engineering buildings, workshops, and a steamplant.

Aircraft observed at the Kharkov/Alekseyevka Airfield on [REDACTED] included: 2 FAGOT/FRESCO, 1 COOT, 3 CRATE, 1 CAB, and 2 HOUND. The variety in types of aircraft may indicate that these planes are being used in a structural test program at the institute.

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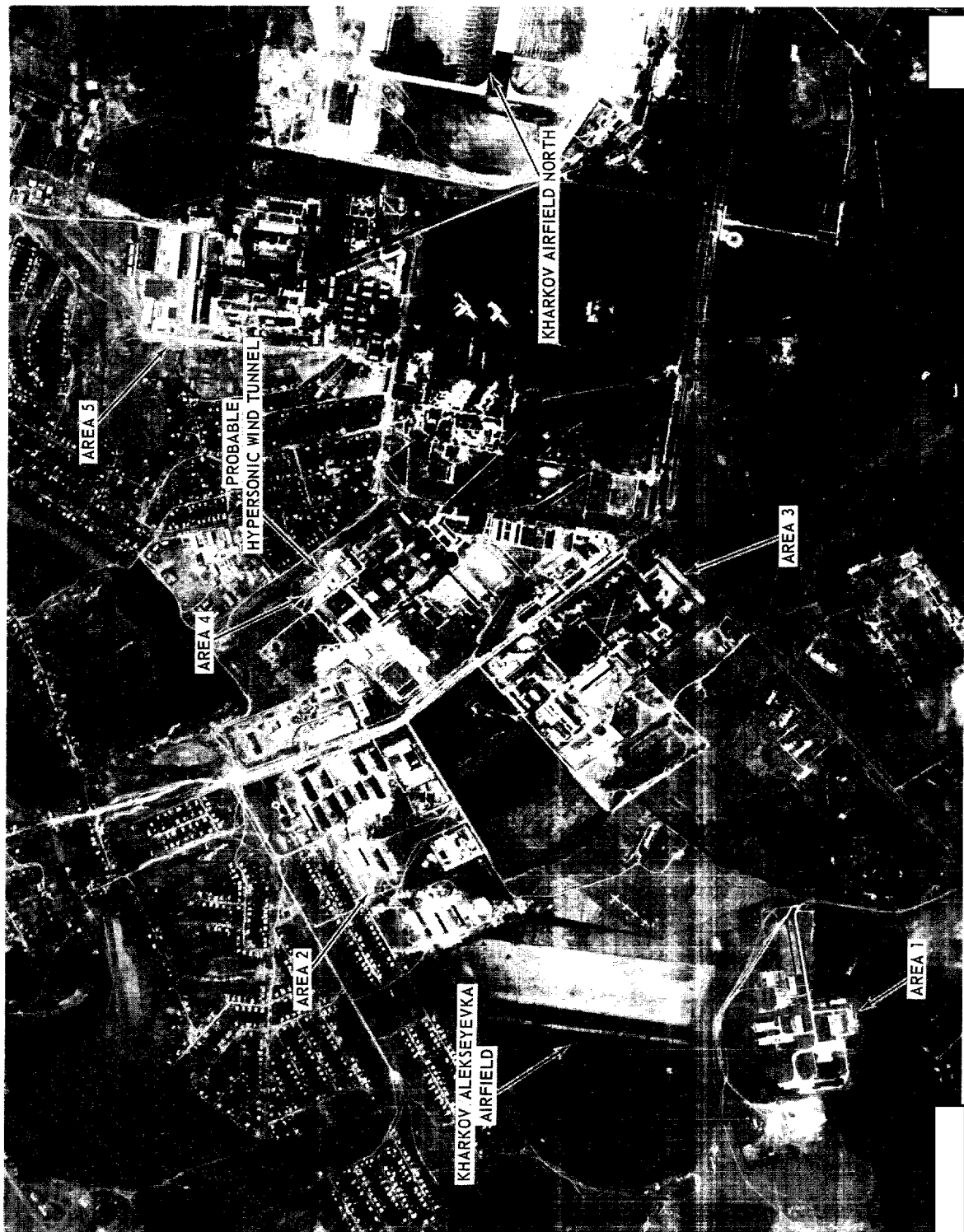
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